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NEXT YEAR'S LEGISLATURE

Political Complexion of the Statesmen Who Will Compose the Aggregation.

Democrats Will Have a Majority of Forty-Seven Thus Far on Joint Ballot, and Seven Members Are Still in Doubt.

The Democrats will have a very comfortable majority in both branches of the Legislature, the returns indicating twenty in the Senate and twenty-seven in the House, a total of forty-seven. Two senatorial districts are yet in doubt and five Representative districts. Thus far the Republicans have possibly gained two Senators and surely eight and possibly twelve Representatives. The returns thus far indicate the election of the following:

NEW SENATORS.

Vanderburg—A. J. McCutchan, R.

Washington and Floyd—Isaac P. Leyden, D.
Clark, Scott and Jennings, Willis S. Barnes, D.
Marion and Hendricks—A. W. Wishard, R.
Clay and Owen—Samuel R. McKelvey, D.
Vigo—Wm. E. McLean, D.
Putnam and Montgomery—James M. Sellers, D.
Marion—John W. Kern D., Romeo F. Stewart D.,
James McHugh, D.
Shelby and Decatur—A. E. Wray, D.
Pulaski, White and Carroll—James M. Beck, D.
LaPorte—J. W. Crumpacker, R.
Marshall and Fulton—Samuel Parker, D.
Whitley and Allen—Ochmig Bird, D.
Noble and DeKaib—James E. McDonald, D.
St. Joseph and Starke—Volney T. Bigham, D.
Henry and Fayette—L. P. Newby, R.
Delaware and Randolph—O. N. Cranor, R.
Grant and Madison—O. A. Baker, R.
Clinton and Tipton (George H. Gifford, D. (f)
Boone and Hamilton—Thomas E. Boyd, R.
Warren and Fountain (Fred Boord, R. (f)
Elkhart—W. W. Vail, R. Elkhart—W. W. Vail, R.
Kosciusko and Wabash—J. D. Thayer, R.
Lagrange and Steuben—Silas D. Manus, R.
New Senators—Democrats, 14; Republicans,
10; doubtful, 2.

HOLD-OVER SENATORS. Greene and Sullivan—Charles T. Akin, D. Hancock and Rush—Morgan Chandler, D. Jackson and Lawrence—David H. Ellison, D. Warrick and Spencer-Isaac S. French, D. Monroe, Bartholomew and Brown-Richard A

Benton, Jasper and Newton-William W. Gill Dearborn, Ohio and Switzerland-Francis M. Parke and Vermillion—George W. Hebson, R. Gibson and Posey—Albert G. Holcomb, D. Ripiey, Franklin and Union—William G. Holland, D.

Daviess and Martin-William Kennedy, D.
Lake and Porter-Johannes Kopelke, D.
Howard and Miami-Robert J. Loveland, R.
Orange, Crawford and Harrison-Iverson Cass-Rufus Magee, D. Morgan, Johnson and Brown-Joseph J.

Moore, D.

Allen-Joseph D. Morgan, D.

Jeffersen and Clark-John McGregor, D.

Tippercance-John F. McHugh, D.

Adams, Blackford and Jay-Henry B. Smith, D.

Perry and Dubois-John Sweeney, D. Huntington and Wells-George H. Thompson, D. Knox and Pike—Henry J. Wiggs, D.

Wayne-John Yaryan, R. Hold-over Senators-Democrats, 20; Reput Standing of Senate-Democrats, 32; Republicans, 14; doubtful, 4. THE HOUSE.

Gibson-P. A. Bryant, R. Pike-William J. Bethel, R (in doubt.) Green-Thomas VanBuskirk, R. Decatur-Marshal Newhouse, Morgan-Wilson Adams, R. Hendricks-Jesse D. Hamrick, R. Parke-Jere Morris, R.
Montgomery-M. B. Couberley, R (in doubt.)
Jennings-J. B. Smith, R.
Boone-John A. Johnston, D. (in doubt.) Clinton-William Stevens, R. (in doubt.)
Howard-Richard Bassett, R.
Tippecanoe-W. S. Haggard, R., A. S. McCorkie, R. Benton and Warren-James M. Hunter, R. Lake-Dinwiddie, R.

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Porter-George C. Gregg, R.
Marion (six)—Francis T. Hord, D.; James
Deery, D.; Frank Wilson, D.; Fred Grossart, D.;
Henry Harmon, D.; Manson U. Johnson, D.
Marion and Shelby—James B. Curtis, D.
Madison—James M. Farlow, D.
Hancock—Benjamin F. Reeves, D.
Shelby—William Lowe, D. /

BRush—Gates Sixton, R.
Henry—Thomas N. White. R. Rush—Gates Sixton, R.
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Wayne and Fayette—A. C. Lindemuth, R.
Wayne—Philip S. Binkley, R.
Randolph—Andrew J. Stakebake, R.
Delaware—John F. Meredith, R.
Hamilton—Addison Newlin, R.
Tipton—James M. Fippen, D.
Clinton, Tipton and Madison—Andrew J. Be

Pulaski and White-Eli P. Washburn, D. Carroll-Charles E. Clauser, D. Cass—Joseph Guthrie, D. Fulton—William McHahn, D. Cass and Miami—John Blair, D. Miami-H. V. Passage, D. Huntington-Hiram Gill, D. Wells-Michael Blue, D. Adams and Jay-Richard K. Erwin, D. Adams, Jay and Blackford-William H. Har-

Allen-Samuel M. Henou, D.; James F. Rodabough, D.; Charles Dalman, D. Whitley-Jacob Schrader, D DeKalb-Marion J. Franks, D. Noble-Norman Teal, D. Marshall-John W. Baugher, D. St. Joseph-George H. Stover, D.; J. F. Such-

LaPorte and Starke-J. B. Colline, D. Grant-Harvey McCaskey, R. \* agrange-F. D. Merritt, R Elkhart-J. S. Kauffman, R. Elkhart and Kosciusko-M. L. Manwaring, R. Kosciusko-Columbus C. Deane, R. Newton and Jasper-John B. Lyons, R. Vanderburg, Gibson and Knox- -- Kratz, R Posey-John C. Smith, D. anderburg-Albert Camp, R.; John H. Fos-

Warrick-I. S. Hay, D. Spencer-Charles Zuckriegal, D. Perry-Jesse Canningham, D. Knox-W. A. Cullop, D Davies-Josian G. Allen, R. Dubeis and Martin-William A. Wilson, D. Lawrence, Orange and Dubois-John L. Ma-Harrison-Jacob F. Wright, D. Floyd-George E. Meintyre, D. Floyd, Harrison and Crawford-Smith Askren.

Washington-Aaron A. Cravens, D. Jackson-Alleu Swope, D. Clark-Reuben Dailey, D. Clark, Scott and Jennings-S. A. Barnes, D. Jefferson - M. R. Sulzer, R. Ripley-Robert Creignile, D.

Dearborn, Ohio and Switzerland-Hugh D. Mo Bullen, D.
Dearborn—John W. Johnson, D.
Ripley, Franklin and Union—Peter Schaff, D.
Franklin—Ebenezer Cooley, D.
Bartholomew—Daniel W. Hagey, D.
Monroe and Brown—John S. Williams, D. Johnson-W. D. Terhune, D. Owen-John L. Duncan, D. Putnam-John Q. Vermillion, D. Sullivan-John Hugbee, D.

Clay-F. G. Thornton, D. Vigo-Peter S. Kester, D.; William Stuart, D. Sullivan, Vigo and Vermillion-J. E. Redman Fountain-James A. Sanders, D. Montgomery, Putnam and Clay-Frank D Standing of House: Democrats, 61; Repub licans, 34; doubtful, 5.

AMUSEMENTS.

"The Power of the Press" opened a half week's engagement to a good house at English's last night. It is a good melodrama of the old style, where the hero and herome receive their just reward in the end and the villain gets his long-delayed and much-merited punishment. The play tells the story of a young shipwright who. having fallen into the habit of drinking to



excess, gets into bad company and is unfortunately with some professional threves when they break into a liquor store and shoot the barkeeper. The hero is innocent of all knowledge of the crime, being stapefied with drink, but he is tried as one of the participators in the act, convicted and sent to Sing Sing. On his release he is met by opposition in his search for work through the plotting of the villain who led to his original downfall, but is eventually successful in proving his innocence through the power of the press. The play is well constructed, and the dia-Innocence through the power of the press.
The play is well constructed, and the dialogue is far above the level of American melodramatic productions. The situations are effective, and are of the kind that appeal directly to the popular heart. The leading roles are well carried by Messra. James E. Wilson, Charles Mason, C. H. Riegel, Herbert Patee, Charles M. Kidder, Walter B. Wordbull, Chas. B. Poor, Miss Ida Waterman, Miss Sally Williams and Miss Lavinia Shannon.

Charles H. Yale's new "Devil's Auction"

Charles H. Yale's new "Devil's Auction" will be given at the Grand to-night and twice to-morrow. This is advertised as one of the most costly and beautiful spectacu-lar productions now traveling, with a com-pany embracing some of the best actors, actresses and specialty artists of this class of entertainment. The production is said to be stronger and more attractive this season than heretofore. The specialties are reported to be numerous and varied. Elaborate scenery, marches, transformations and calcium effects will characterize the production the production.

The attraction at the Grand the first part of next week will be H. C. DeMille's highly successful American play, "The Lost Paradise," which will be presented in the same complete manner that characterized its runs in New York for three hundred nights in Bester for 150 professor with the characterized. nights, in Boston for 150 nights, and in Chicago for one hundred nights. The play is distinctly American in theme and locality. in characters and treatment. Mr. DeMille, it is said, has woven about an every-day topic of the times a love story of powerful interest, and invested it with strong, forci-

"The late of Champagne," a recent comicopera success, which is said to be even as entertaining as "Wang," and produced on a scale of equal elaboration, will be seen for the first time in Indianapolis, at English's, next Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Thomas Q. Seabrooke, a well-known com-edian, has the leading role, and there are eighty people in the company. The sale of seats is now in progress. Alexander & Allen's "Black Crook"

WILL NOT QUIT FIGHTING

scenery is noteworthy.

pleased another good audience last even-

ing. Their specialties are extra good. The

Republican State Committee Will Keep Open House All the Year Round.

Chairman Gowdy Concedes the Landslide. but Expresses Faith in the Undying Strength of the Party.

The State committee headquarters were not crowded yesterday, and the committee quietly set about to close up the business of this campaign. It was determined, however, to keep the headquarters open in the interim of campaign activity. For the present the Denison House will continue to be headquarters, and if a change is made it will be with a view to selecting a permanent situation. Chairman Gowdy last night prepared the following open address to the party:

To the Republicans of Indiana: The campaign of 1892 is history. Our adversaries have achieved a victory, the magnitude of which is as much of a surprise to them as to us. The people of the United States have expressed their preference for a change of an administration that is confessedly able and honest, and unassailable at every point. Amidst unparalleled prosperity at home and in the presence of the promise of still more fruitful times, the people have declared their preference for a change and all loyal Republicans will respect their will. The essential principles of the Republican party are undying. It is the party of the people. It stands for the interest of capital and labor against the world. It is for honest money and an honest ballot. It is against the gerrymander which breeds extravagance. It demands a nonpartisan management of the great State institutions. It is opposed to high taxes and demands the most rigid economy in all public affairs. The result of Tuesday may for a time postpone the accomplishment of these purposes, but it cannot defeat it. The State committee proposes to wage battle from this day until the sacred cause of Republicanism is triumphant. No

pose.

The committee cannot allow this opportunity to pass without thanking the various committees and clubs throughout the State for the splendid. and clubs throughout the State for the spiendid, loyal, untiring work they have each and all done in the campaign just closed, nor can we fail to express our appreciation of the admirable work done by the Republican press.

While we have lost Indiana, we are pleased to observe that the Democratic majority of two

years ago has been greatly reduced, and that, by comparison with other States, and, in view of the disadvantages they have had to confront, the Republicans of Indiana have just cause for gratification at the result of their labors, and, by a united, determined and intelligent effort on the part of every lover of good government, we will soon place the State where it of right ought to be-in the Republican column.

not close; they will be kept open, and all Republicans are cordially invited to call and assist in furthering the organization of our party. Subordinate committees in countles and cities should be strengthened in every part, and every effort made by them to render their organization invincible and their endeavor successful at every point. JOHN K. GOWDY, Chairman. FRANK M. MILLIKAN, Secretary.

ALMS HOUSE BURNED.

Narrow Escape of 100 Inmates of a Pennsylvania Institution-Loss \$200,000. FRANKLIN, Pa., Nov. 10.-At half past 1 o'clock this afternoon the county almshouse, situated at Sugar Creek, four miles north of this city, took fire. All the means at hand were used to handle the fire, but without avail, and the fire departments of Oil City and Franklin were sent to the scene of the fire by special train. The fire had gained such headway that they could do little, and the building was almost destroyed, together with its contents. There were some terrible scenes enacted at the fire. There were about one hundred inmates of the institution, many of them helpless, or worse, and the rescue of these poor creatures was accomplished with great difficulty. Had it not been for the prompt and vigorous and courageous methods adopted in many cases, there would have been lives lost. The ground was covered with snow, and a bitter cold wind was blowing. The ill-clad paupers, many of them feeble and ailing, suffered dreadfully, There were many parrow escapes from a horrible death in the burning pile. Mrs. H. A. Culp, wife of the superintendent of the alms house, was very ill, and it is thought the shock of the excitement and exposure incidental to her removal will kill her. Many of the unfortunates resisted desperately the attempts to take them from their warm quarters out into the winter weather. They could not be made to un-derstand that they would be roasted alive if they did not go out, and there were stubborn struggles to overcome some of the more able-bodied inmates and carry them by force. The building was valued at \$200,000, and was insured for \$50,000. The fire is believed to have been incen-diary. There have been reports sent out that several of the inmates had been

ed for and that there were no fatalities or even severe injuries among them. Thought His Country Was in Distress. CHICAGO, Nov. 10 .- A riot was narrowly sverted on South Water street to-day. F. O. Thomas, a commission merchant and an ardent Republican, displayed the stars and stripes at half-mast and uspide down, over his store. Joseph Spies, another commission merchant, while an angry crowd was rapidly gathermu, rushed through Thomas's store and upon the roof. Spies speedily righted the flag, amin the cheers of the spectators.

burned, but Superintendent Culp said to-

night that every inmate had been account-

WILL HAVE A BIG MAJORITY

In the Fifty-Third Congress the Tariff Tinkers Will Have Full Swing.

Democrats and Fusion-Populists Likely to Exceed Republicans by Over 100-Where Gains and Losses Were Made.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10 .- An analysis of the congressional election returns shows that, with returns missing from twenty districts in which the result is either entirely unknown, or is very close, the Democrats have elected to seats in the House of Representatives, for the Fifty-third Congress, eighty-eight more Representatives than the Republicans. This majority does not include nine members-elect who are classified as either fusionists or thirdparty men, nearly every one of whom will act with the Democrats in any proposed reduction of the tariff. Their support. with the additional strength the Democrats are certain to derive from securing some of the twenty districts put in the unknown column, makes it conservative to estimate that the Democrats will have majority of one hundred members or more on the most important question likely to come before the next House of Representatives-a revision of the McKinley tariff law. A number of the fusionists are also thoroughly in accord with the Democratic policy, as far as it goes, on all other questions. For instance, McLaurin, of South Carolina, and Pence and Bell, of Colorado, who are classified with the third-party men, are in general accord with the Demo-cratic platform, save that on the currency question the first-named has Alliance ideas and the two last-named are radical freemen. Three out of five of the fusionists thought to be elected in Kansas are also simply Democrats of what may be called the radical wing of the party. Leaving out the twenty unknown districts the next House will consist of 207 Democrats. 120 Republicans and nine fusionists or third-party men.

An analysis by sections of the vote Tuesday for Congressmen shows that the Southern States, Maryland, Missouri and Kentucky being included in this category, will send 117 Democrats, only four Republicans and one Alliance Democrat (McLaurin, of South Carolina) to the next House, with four districts, two in West Virginia, one each in Kentucky and Missouri in doubt. Of the four Republican Congressmen returned, two come from Tennessee and one each from Kentucky and Missouri. The only apparent result of the fight made against the Democracy in the South was to strengthen its hold on public affairs. In North Carelina, Cheatham, the colored Republican, is defeated after surviving the landslide two years ago, and in Alabame a solid Democratic delegation is returned notwithstanding the efforts of Mr. Magee

and others to split it. Of New England's 27 votes in the next House the Republicans get 18 and the Democrats 6, three coming from Massachusetts and three from Connecticutt. The Second New Hampshire district is placed in the doubtful column. The four Middle States, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware, have 73 votes in the House, of which number the Republicans will cast 39 and the Democrats 34. Fifty-six Congress-men will be returned from the Middle Western States of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. According to the returns, Democrats will represent 32 of the districts, Republicans 28 and one, the Sixteenth Ohio, at present represented by Pearson. Dem., is said to be exceedingly close- Although this is the only doubtful district named in the press dispatches from these States, experi-ence warrants the belief that other districts will be found to be doubtful as the official count progresses, several districts being always nip and tuck between the two parties.

The States of the Northwest and agricultural West, beyond the Mississippi river, will send 29 Republicans, 14 Democrats and five fusionists to represent it in the next House, with two districts in Nebraska in doubt and the entire seven from Minuesota placed in the same column for lack of information as to the successful candidates. The Republicans stand the best chance of securing a majority from the nine unknown districts. The five fu-sionists come from Kansas. It is said that with the exception of Davis and Baker the fusionists are inclined toward Democracy. The silver States of Idaho, Montana, Wyoming. Nevada and Colorado split even on the congressional election, three Republicans coming from the three States first named and three fusionists from the two latter States. Newlands, of Nevada, however, is inclined toward Republicanism. The Pacific coset is entitled to eleven Congressmen. Washington and Oregon each will send two Republicans, and California will send four Democrats and perhaps more, three districts being close between the two old parties. Although five fusionists are given to Kansas, the returns received tonight indicate the political complexion of The hendquarters of the State committee will | the delegation is mixed and in doubt. Following is a table by States:

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The election to Congress from the Tenth district of New York of Gen. Daniel E Sickles has revived the question as to the right of an officer on the retired list of the army to a seat in Congress, in view of the constitutional provision that "no person holding any office under the United States shall be a member of either house of Congress during his continuance in office." When this question first arose on the nom-ination of General Sickles it was unofficially presented for an expression of opinion to the Attorney-general, the law offificers of the treasury, but each and all of them decimed to commit himself further than to say that it was a question for the House of Representatives alone, under its constitutional authority, to determine the qualification of its own members. The only question involved is whether a retired army officer holds an office within the meaning of the Constitution. The concensus of opinion among legal officials on this point is in the affirmative. There is not even a probability, however, that any official of the executive branch of the government will attempt to interfere in any way with the senting of General Sickies.

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House itself shall make objection, he will be allowed to discharge his duties as a member of the national legislature without the necessity of relinquishing his standing and emoluments as a retired army offi-

The strong probability of an extra session of Congress immediately following the inauguration of the President-elect is a subject of general conversation in Washington to-day. A special session of the Senate is always called at the beginning of a new administration to confirm the mem-bers of the Cabinet and new diplomatic representatives of the United States abroad. But the present election having turned on questions of domestic policy, it is said to be obvious to experienced political leaders of all parties that an extra session of both houses of Congress will almost inevitably result. Secretary of the Treasury Foster, among others, admits this. Ex-Secretary Bayard writes to a triend here to like effect, adding that the people will expect this to be done without unnecessary

MAY BE DECLARED OFF.

Calling Out of Troops Likely to End the

Great New Orleans Strike. NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 10,-United States District Attorney Erhart this afternoon filed suit in the United States District Court to compel the striking unions to return to work. The complaint charges the unions with obstructing the business of the city. The court ordered the offenders to apper in court next Saturday.

The strike, however, is expected to be declared off before morning. The arms for the volunteer militia, which is to augment the regular State troops, arrived to-day, and the men were in readiness for march, but the gas and electric lights were started without any but police protection. The call was then expected to hinge upon the running of the street cars. The presidents of the street cars could not arrange to etert before morning, and the attempt was postponed until 10 o'clock to-morrow morn-ing. The first cars will be run on St. Charles avenue, which is wide enough to permit the movement of the troops.

The Governor had the arbitration committee of the strikers before him this evening, and told them what he intended doing to-morrow. He said they were responsible for the crisis, and the responsibility for any bloodshed would be upon their heads. The committee promised to convene the Amalgamated Conneil and decide the question of calling the strike off. The deliberation is going on, and the strike of three weeks' duration is likely to end at any moment. At 2:30 A. M. the strike has been declared off.

Contract Laborers Detained. NEW YORK, Nov. 10.-The Ellis island officials to-day made an important detention of a crowd of contract laborers who were coming to this country to take the places of strikers at Pittsburg. Several days ago Contract Labor Inspector R. D. Layden, of l'ittsbni , telegraphed to the Contract Labor Bute u that half a dozen Belgian glassblowers had left Antwerp. Oct. 20, for this port. under contract to work at a glass-blowing establishment at Pittsburg. The men had been engaged to take the places of strikers and work for less pay. The steamship Friesland arrived from Antwerp Wednesday and it was reported that there were no steerage passengers on board. The labor inspectors found Francis Videl, a former foreman in the Pittsburg glass-works, with the five contract workmen in the second cabin. Afterwards labor inspectors discovered twenty-four more giass-blowers under contract among the second cabin

passengers on the Friesland. To-day the men were taken to Eliis island and accused of coming here in vio-lation of alien contract laws. They were placed in detention. The capture of the thirty glass-blowers is considered the most important that has been made in a long time. If a good case is made out against the owner of the glass-blowing factory he will be prosecuted.

No General Strike of Railway Employes. St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 10 .- F. P. Sargent, of Terre Haute, grand master of the Brotherhood of Firemen, passed through this city en route for Parsons, Kan., to settle a difficulty between the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway and its employes. Asked regarding the proposed world's fair strike he said: "That is rot about railroad employes striking during the world's fair. It is the statement of some world's fair blatherskite. Railroad men will not strike unless compelled to do so to maintain their rights, and they will not take advantage of their employers at a critical moment." Then the labor magnate added significantly: "But if they are not met fairly they will probably select for a strike the time at which they are most likely to be successful. Nothing has yet been done toward forming a federation of all railway employes, but I think it is but a matter of a short time when all men in railroad train service will

The Columbus Strike.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 10 .- The street-car strike assumed a threatening aspect with the attempt of the company to start cars this morning. About seventy-five patrolmen, under Chief Murphy, were taken to the Long-street barns before 7 o'clock, and preparations were made to run out cars. Two non-union motormen and two conductors were on hand and took their positions after Chief Murphy had driven the strikers from the company's premises across the street and into the commons. The cars were filled with policemen and succeeded in getting a good start. They were stopped and turned back before reaching the south barns, where a large number of the strikers had congregated. The strikers at noon to-day submitted a proposition to the company in which they offer to submit their differences to the arbitration of a committee. The proposition has been taken under advisement.

Big Purses for Pugilists. NEW YORK, Nov. 10 .- The controversy between the Coney Island and Crescent City Athletic Club over securing the lights between Hall and Fitzsimmons has been settled in favor of New Orleans. William F. Harding has received word from Richard K. Fox that Hall accepted President Noel's offer of \$40,000 in preference to Judge Newton's offer of \$45,000. From the same source it was rearned that Charlie Mitchell also will accept the Crescent City Club's offer of \$50,000 for a go between him and Corbett.

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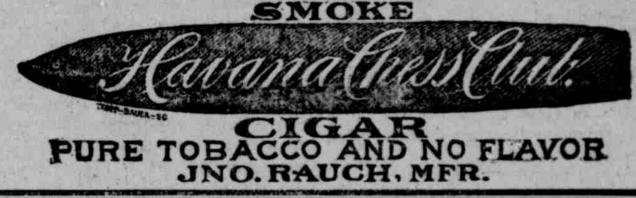


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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

It Will Be Short and Devoted to a Digest of Departmental Reports, Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.- President Harri-

son is again at work in the tread-mill. He began writing his annual message to-day. He had put off this laborious work much longer than usual in order to secure the light of the national election. If he had secured success his message would, of course, have been a state paper of considerable importance, bearing on the development of the McKinley tariff, but in view of the success of Mr. Cleveland, there will be little for the President to say on the question which has been hitherto regarded as the cardinal principle of the party. Mr. Halford said this afternoon that the message would undoubtedly be very short. The President already has before him the reports of his various Cabinet associates and the message, to a considerable extent, will be a digest of the routine and statistical

work of the departments.

Mr. Harrison May Return to Indianspolis. BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 10 .- Among the statements as to where President Harrison would reside was one to the effect that he will make this city his home. Mr. J. R. Mc-Kee, the President's son-in-law, was asked to-day as to the truth of this statement, and replied as follows: "It is too early to reply definitely," said Mr. McKee, "but if the President leaves Washington, and the efforts of myself and Mrs. McKee can prevail, he may come. He was, up to a short time ago, at least firmly determined to retire to Indianapolis at the close of his official career, where almost his whole life has been passed. The President was informed by the doctors several months ago that his wife could not live, and until her death, of course, her condition engrossed the whole attention of the family. Any consideraof her death was not to be thought of. With a man at his age, however, it is greatly a matter of associations, and it would be hard for him to leave Indianapohe, for which he has always had a great liking, and go to another place, where associations would be new and different from

Future Plans of the President's Family. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

those in his old home."

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10 .- Mr. and Mrs. Russell B. Harrison may take up their residence in Indianapolis next summer. although they think of living in New York for awhile, Mr. Harrison has extensive street-car interests in Indiana, which he will look after.

Mrs. McKee, with little Benjamin and little Mary, will go to Boston after March 4. Mr. McKee has established himself in business there, and has built a house. Gen. Harrison may make them a visit in the spring. Dr. Scott, Mrs. Harrison's father, will live with the President, Mrs. Dimmick will remain in Washington, with Lieutenant and Mrs. Parker.

General Notes. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10 .- A marriage license was to-day issued here to William W. McBeth, of Lafayette, and Elizabeth

The President has appointed Albert H. Nash as postmaster at Salt Lake City, U. T., vice Irving A. Benton, resigned to accept the appointment of United States marshal.

The Bath in Central Africa. E. J. Glave, in Harper's Young People.

These Africans are a very hardy race, and I think it is no doubt owing, to a very great extent, to the introduction they receive at a very early age to the strengthening effect of cold-water bathing. Every morning, as soon as they leave their huts, the women file down to the river's edge to give their babies a bath. The mother walks knee deep into the stream; then, catching the half-awakened infant by the wrist, she dips him into the chilly water, and holds him tirmly as he wriggles beneath the surface. It always happens that several women are so occupied at the same time, and they

naturally engage in conversation, when the discussion is often of so interesting a character that the infant in the water is almost forgotten, till his frantic struggles and tugging warn the dusky parent that he is not amphibious. The child is then hauled out, but before he has time to recover, his violent choking and spluttering are again lost in the depths of the muddy stream. After repeating this operation four or five times, the mother carries the bewildered little piece of ebonized humanity back to the village, and spreads him out on a mat in the sun to gradually recover from the shock. This seems to me to be rather a rough and uncomfortable means of providing for the survival of the fittest.

CLIMBING MOUNT KENIA.

The Third Unsuccessful Attempt to Reach Its Snow-Crowned Summit.

The third attempt to ascend Mount Kenia, the snow-crowned mountain of east Africa, lying directly under the equator, was made in July last. Joseph Thomson was the first explorer to attempt this ascent. He climbed up the west slope to a high elevasion, but was not able to get to the top. Count Teleki met with no better success a few years later on the north side of the mountain. One fact that made success difficult in the case of these explorers was the unfriendly attitude of the natives living on the lower

slopes and at the foot of the mountain. The third attempt in July last was made by Captain Dundas and his companions. who ascended the Tana river in the little steamboat Kenia for 360 miles and then marched overland to Mount Kenia. The day they began to climb the great mountain on its south side they forced their way through dense forests overgrown with mosses, dark and gloomy, with no sign of life in its deep shades. The cold was severe, and the heavy mists and dew rendered everything damp and chilly. The following day the party entered the region of bamboos. It would have been impossible to proceed further if the caravan had not taken advantage of the elephant tracks. Emerging from this bamboo thicket on the afternoon of the second day, they found that the ridge along which they were ascending ran nearly due west, with four distinct ridges visible between their stand-point and the peaks of Kenia, which were about six miles distant and ten thousand feet above them. clad far up their steep slopes with dense jungle. Between these ridges were deep ravines too steep for men with loads to pass, and if they followed the ridges on which they stood to the summit, it would take at least three days more to reach it, the ridges all running around the mountain side in spiral fashion from west to east. The party did not have a sufficient supplytof provisions to enable them to complete the ascent of Kenia. The highest point reached was about 8,700 feet, and here specimens of volcanic ash were obtained, and dog violets, thistles, docks, forget-me-nots and clover were also found growing. Captain Dundas says that the mountain

is not a single mountain, but more properly a mountain chain, stretching from west to east, commencing in the high Leikipia plateau on the west, and rising steadily until it culminates in the great double snowcrowned peak. Then comes the second large peak, with five or six smaller ones. The ascent could, in all probability, be accomplished without great difficulty from its northeast side, as the drainage, which in a great measure forms the deep ravines appears, as at Kilima-Njaro, to be on the southern aspect. The point at which Count Teleki made his attempt to the north of the mountain seems to present no insurmountable obstacles.

The highest point reached by Captain Dundas's party was six miles south of the equator. The general appearance of the monntain suggests a comparatively recent volcanic formation, though the slope asconded was so densely covered with jungle that little geological information could be gained, there being only two exposures, one of volcanic ash and the other of basalt, Mount Kilima-Njaro, which is south of Kenia and a little higher, was accended to the summit of its tallest peak by Dr. Hans Meyer three years ago.

A Liberal Explanation.

"I wonder how many of you know the meaning of mercy," said a teacher in a Chinese mission school, and a dozen brown hands were held up. "Very good. Now you Chang, may give us an illustration of its meaning." And Chang said: "Melican lady give Chinese boy glishes to wash. One late fall on the floor and blake in thousand pieces. Melican lady cly loud. "Oh, melcy!"